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Our Mission

“Get educated, get organized, take action.”
Our Purpose

To promote healthy mindsets and relationships to end the school to prison pipeline.
What is the problem?

- Disproportionate Disciplinary Practices.
- Discounting of Black parents' and children's concerns regarding over and excessive discipline for misbehavior/minor infractions.
- Districts/Schools' inability to create safe and supportive learning environments for Black children.
Our Solution—Microschools
BLACK MOTHERS FORUM MICROSCHOOLS

- 4 Locations (South Phoenix, Mesa, Northwest Phoenix)
- 11 Microschools. (Edkey/Sequoia Choice Distance Learning/Prenda)
- 43 students and each day we are adding more.
- Goal--58 Total Microschools (580 students) by end of 2021–2022 school year.
- It costs approximately $10,000 to set up a microschool (rental fees, furniture, electronics, supplies, construction, etc.).
- Locations needed—community rooms, schools, churches, homes, etc.
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